

## The Way of Our World

**IN THE DAY'S NEWS—**  
Uruguay is considering abolishing the office of president.

The craze for bridge playing has spread to school children in England and Germany.

Mount Whitney, the highest peak in the United States is said to have shrunk 14 feet since 1905.

The first motor boat show to be staged in Chicago in sixteen years will be held there in 1930.

A man whose stomach was removed 18 months ago is able to eat solid foods, and perform light work.

The Bethany, Mo., railroad station holds a record of not having sold a single ticket one day recently.

Lieut. Richard Brophy, second in command of the Byrd antarctic expedition, has resigned his position.

A recent landslide in Armenia destroyed the mountain village of Zangezur with a loss of thirteen lives.

A dog in Amsterdam, N. Y., recognized "his master's voice" over the radio, and was returned to his owner.

American police methods are being introduced in Chinese cities through the efforts of the National government.

A Boston doctor claims that there is a positive association between over-average height and weight and high intelligence.

The mayor of Peking, China, recently appeared on the street armed with a broom as part of his "clean-up" campaign.

A life-saving rocket apparatus which is claimed will throw a rope line 325 yards has been invented by a coastguardsman.

Several pajamas factories in Belfast report a 60 per cent increase in output, due to heavy demands for novel nightwear.

Jack Smith, whistling baritone, recently raised his voice when booking agents neglected to pay him for concerts in Vienna.

A San Francisco society girl was found as a stowaway on a liner and is now working in the galley and helping the stewards.

A tin whistle champion in London has applied for a permanent berth in the workhouse after tiring of making a living by exercising his talent.

Plans for a "beggars' university" are being completed in Peking for all men, women and children of the beggar class; instructions will be free.

Rather than pay \$40 per month alimony to his wife, a Litchfield, Ill., auctioneer has gone to jail, and intends to remain there indefinitely.

Boxing tournaments for Chinese girls have been started, and it is reported that several hundred girls near Peking have "taken up" the sport.

George Perceval, young brother of the Earl of Esmont, who recently inherited an estate valued at \$1,000,000 has held a job as sheep shearer 18 months.

Bearing a message of good will from President Emilio Portes Gil, Joaquin Gonzales Pacheco, Mexican aviator flew to Washington for the inauguration.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., traveling in the Holy Land, says, "My father is like Egypt—he has always good weather. At 89 he is still stronger than I am."

French picture post card manufacturers are attempting to revive the dying industry, by petitioning the government to lower the postage from 2 to 1 cent.

London has added the new word "pro-shaker" to its dictionary, and means one who goes to people's houses and mixes dozens of cocktails at a moments notice.

**—AND SOME HUMOR—**  
Tourist: "Got the grub, Sandy?"  
Friend: "Yes, two loaves, seven bottles of whisky—"

Tourist: "Gude gracious mon! what'll ye be doin' with all that bread?"

**COMMENTS ON LIFE—**  
In their desire for a world agreement to keep peace among the nations, the people have been leading their statesmen—Arthur Capper.

Any law that goes counter to the strong feeling of a large part of the population is bound to be disobeyed in America. Any law that is disobeyed necessarily results in lawbreaking and in lowering respect for law as law. The Eighteenth Amendment is doing that in a gigantic scale, but it is operating upon a population already the most lawless in civilized countries. Lawlessness has been and is one of the most distinctive American traits. It is obvious that a nation does not become lawless or law-abiding overnight.—James Truslow Adams.

**—AND SOME VERSE—**  
For Youth  
Earth will not ever weary of your speech,  
Earth will not ever make a pace for you—  
Nor need you fear the Elders will impeach  
Your right to rule the many and the few.

Go where you will, Do what you will,  
Be Cruel  
Or kind or vain. Be humble or be bold;  
You shall remain the measure and the rule  
Which keep an ancient world from growing old.

(All Wisdom is a flower in your hand,  
And Passion will have none but you for guide.  
And Beauty—though she search the fairest land—  
Will find you out at once and keep your side!)

The exquisites shall be your drink and meat,  
I shall be always at your feet.  
—S. Bert Cookley.

## LEADER COMING TO AID DRIVE OF CHURCHES

Dr. Goodell to Talk to Many Groups in Ten Days

WILL BEGIN ON SUNDAY

Services Will Prepare for Membership Campaign

Dr. Charles L. Goodell of New York, a member of the Federal Council of Churches, will arrive in Columbia tomorrow to conduct a series of services leading up to a visitation week, in behalf of a membership campaign carried on by all the churches.

On Sunday, at 10:45, Dr. Goodell will speak at the Broadway Methodist Church, and at 7:30 p. m. he will meet with student leaders in conference at the Christian Church.

From Monday to next Friday, he will conduct union services at the Christian Church.

On Tuesday he will speak to the Kiwanis Club at noon, and to Christian College students in the afternoon.

He will address the Lions Club at noon Wednesday, and will meet with student leaders in conference at 4 o'clock.

On Thursday, he will speak to the Rotary Club, Friday, he will talk to the Girls Reserve Club at the David H. Hickman High School.

Another meeting with student leaders will be held at 4 o'clock. He will also be on the program at the assembly of the Junior High School.

Beginning Sunday afternoon, March 17, Dr. Goodell will meet with visitation committees representing all churches. They will try to see all people in Columbia who are not affiliated with some church.

On March 18, he will address University men at convocation in Jesse Auditorium; University women's convocation on March 19, and general students' convocation on March 20.

Special workers' conference supper will be held at 6 o'clock on March 18, 19, and 20, at which time Dr. Goodell will direct the activities of that group.

Dr. Goodell will speak from the following topics: "The Supreme Task of the Church"; "The Passion of Jesus"; "What About Prayer?"; "What About the Holy Spirit?"; "What About the Bible?"; "Religion in the Home"; and "Laymen and the Church."

His topics at the student convocations will be: "Religion and the Student Mind"; "New Men for the New Age"; and "A Fortune for a Meal."

**EXPLOSION KILLS 4 FIGHTING FIRE**

Twenty-One Injured When Dynamite Explodes in Burning Barn

SCRIBNER, Neb., March 8 (U.P.)—Four persons were killed, four probably fatally injured, and seventeen others less seriously injured in an explosion of dynamite stored in the barn of Carl Hollander, Dodge County supervisor, at 11:30 o'clock last night.

The dead: Gus Pittack, Guy Clark, Fred Felner, Harry Wibbles. Those who are expected to die: Frank Shearer, William Strubbe, Arthur Schoeneck, Elmer Steil.

The dynamite was to have been used in dynamiting ice jams in the Elkhorn river near here. During the night fire broke out in the Hollander barn.

All the dead and injured are members of the volunteer fire department which fought the blaze.

Presence of the dynamite was known to them but they thought it would not explode. There was not believed to be caps with it.

As the fire became hotter the explosive "let go" homes and buildings in the vicinity were threatened.

The crash could be heard for miles, being felt in Fremont, West-paint, Hooper and other nearby cities.

**L. D. KNIFFIN IN CITY TODAY**

Organization Committee of Parents' Association Visits Here

L. D. Kniffin of Kansas City, chairman of the organization committee of the Parents' Association of the University of Missouri, was a visitor in Columbia today.

His son, Joe Kniffin, is a student in the University.

The organization committee, in addition to Mr. Kniffin, is composed of Dr. Stratton D. Brooks, Edward W. Bradley, Joseph A. Kline, Rev. W. M. Winniett of Bowling Green, Judge Kimbrough Stone of Kansas City, F. G. Goetz of St. Joseph, and Lee M. Ewing of Nevada.

**TO HOLD ANNUAL BANQUET**

Postal Employees and Their Families Meet Tonight

The annual banquet for Columbia postal employees and their families will be given at the Wayside Inn at 6:30 o'clock tonight. About seventy-five or eighty persons are expected to be present.

**Welfare Board Women to Meet**

The women members of the Board of the Public Welfare Society will meet tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. H. H. Banks, 1100 Morris Boulevard.

## The Weather

For Columbia and vicinity: Somewhat unsettled tonight and Saturday; probably some rain or snow, colder Saturday; lowest tonight about 34.

For Missouri: Rain or snow probable tonight and Saturday; colder Saturday and northwest portion tonight; warmer southeast portion tonight.

Shippers' forecast: Within a radius of 200 miles of Columbia the lowest temperatures are expected to be about as follows: North 28, East 38, South 36, West 26.

Weather Conditions: The eastern storm is leaving the country by way of New England, the north Atlantic being still subject to north-west gales. The prevailing type from ocean to ocean is characteristic of March, chilly, with little snow here and there in the north; frost in the south to Georgia and Alabama but no hard freezing south of the Ohio River nor south and west of the Missouri River. The general arrangement of atmospheric pressure is not indicative of any warm weather yet, but rather lean to the winter type over the week-end in Missouri.

Highest temperature in Columbia yesterday, 31; lowest temperature last night 30.

**KAPPAS, BETAS ARE LEADERS IN SCHOLARSHIP**

Semester Grades Put Chi Beta Epsilon, Triangle, Next

15 LOSE SOCIAL RIGHTS

Ten Fraternities Below 190, Five Sororities Below 220

The Beta Theta Pi fraternity with an average of 237.5, and the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority with an average of 258.1, are the scholarship leaders at the University for the first semester, as announced this morning by the committee on student activities of which Dean Albert K. Heckel is chairman.

Triangle is in second place among the fraternities with an average of 237.6. Lambda Chi Alpha is third with 237.3, Alpha Gamma Rho is fourth with 236.4, Phi Gamma Delta is fifth with 218.9, and Sigma Nu ranks sixth with 215.4.

The other fraternity rankings in their respective order are: Kappa Alpha with 214.9, Farm House with 214.9, Delta Upsilon with 211.7, Kappa Sigma with 208.1, Sigma Alpha Epsilon with 206.2, Zeta Tau Alpha with 212.6, Delta Tau Delta with 200.1, Phi Delta Theta with 196.8, Phi Kappa Psi with 193.4, Pi Kappa Alpha with 191, Delta Kappa with 185.1, Delta Sigma Phi with 184.7, Phi Kappa with 183.7, Sigma Phi Epsilon with 182.4, Chi Alpha Chi with 181.5, Alpha Tau Omega with 180.1, Sigma Chi with 177.5, Acacia with 171.3, Sigma Phi Sigma with 167.4, and Sigma Alpha Mu with 159.2.

Following the Kappas in scholarship rankings for the first semester are Chi Beta Epsilon (local) with 243.7, Delta Delta Delta with 237.3, Alpha Phi Beta with 234.2, Delta Gamma with 226.3, Alpha Delta Pi with 226.2, Phi Mu with 224, Kappa Alpha Theta with 222.4, Pi Beta Phi with 222, Zeta Tau Alpha with 220.2, Alpha Phi with 219.6, Chi Omega with 214.6, Alpha Gamma Delta with 214.52, and Theta Phi Alpha with 214.16.

The Delta Sigma (local) members who were pledged to the Alpha Epsilon Phi sorority near the close of the first semester had an average of 357.8.

In the rankings of the fraternities at the close of the first semester last year, Farm House was first, Beta Theta Pi second, Delta Sigma Phi third, Alpha Gamma Rho fourth, and Zeta Beta Tau fifth.

The final rankings for the sororities last year were Alpha Phi first, Delta Delta Delta second, Phi Kappa Psi third, Alpha Chi Omega fourth, and Kappa Kappa Gamma fifth.

In order to maintain their social privileges the sororities must have an average of 220 at the close of each semester. The fraternity must have an average of 190 for the entire year to keep their social privileges.

These averages were computed by assigning to the grade E the number 400; to the grade S, 300; to the grade M, 200; to the grade I, 100; and to the grade F, 0.

**EXECUTIVE BOARD TO MEET**

Pres. Brooks, Leslie Cowan Will Go to Springfield Monday

Dr. Stratton D. Brooks, president of the University, and Leslie Cowan, secretary of the University, will attend the regular monthly meeting of the Executive Board of the Board of Curators of the University at Springfield next Monday.

Other members of the Executive Board are F. M. McDevitt of Springfield, Mercer Arnold of Joplin, and H. J. Blanton of Paris, Mo.

**Mrs. Lanham Given Kitchen Shower**

Mrs. E. J. Feig of 1607 East Broadway, gave a kitchen shower last night in honor of Mrs. J. D. Lanham. The guests were Mrs. Roy Fowler, Mrs. Don Markham, Mrs. Glenn Morris, Mrs. L. S. Spencer, Mrs. Walter Jones, Mrs. Eddie Rothwell, Mrs. R. P. Bryant, Mrs. Tom Hardy, Mrs. A. Schneider, Mrs. E. D. Hutton, and Misses Fredrick Knudsen and Helen Schneider.

**J. L. Lynes' Improved**

J. L. Lynes, who has been ill for some time, was reported this morning to be much improved.

## WOMEN'S REST ROOM WILL BE ESTABLISHED

P.-T. A. Decides to Equip Shoppers' Parlor in Boswell's

MONTHLY REPORTS GIVEN

Group Also Votes to Aid Promotion of Better-Homes Week

A down-town rest room for local women, and women who come to Columbia to shop will be established by the City Council of P.-T. A. in the C. C. Boswell Dry Goods Store at 1007-9 Broadway. The location was definitely determined yesterday afternoon at the regular monthly meeting of the council which was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Adde Kilmington of the Public Health Unit reported that the P.-T. A. would begin at once on the "summer round-up" of children who would enter school next fall for the first time. Clinics will be established and expert advice will be given mothers of such children. The clinics will be held in May and later in the summer.

It was voted to co-operate with other civic organizations to promote Better Homes Week, April 21-27. Demonstrations will be given in the high school. The following committee was appointed by Mrs. J. T. Quinn, president of the council: Mrs. Perry Taylor, Mrs. O. R. Johnson, Mrs. J. M. Estes and Mrs. Georgia English.

**Reports on Free Milk Made**

Mrs. Will S. Bricker, representing the P.-T. A. of Benton School, reported that they were furnishing milk daily to seven underweight children.

Mrs. Ernest L. Cox of Lee School P.-T. A. reported that five children were being supplied with milk daily. It was also reported that investigation showed thirty-six underweight children at Eugene Field School and that milk would be supplied to them soon.

Mrs. Charles W. Greene conducted an informal discussion of parliamentary usages in directing an election. The council will hold its annual election of officers April 4. The following were appointed to serve as the nominating committee: Mrs. R. W. Selvidge, Mrs. Robert L. Howard, and Mrs. M. B. Little.

**REGISTRATION SET FOR MARCH 20-21**

To Be Held for Columbia Voters Who Have Not Yet Enrolled

Registration of Columbia voters who have become eligible since the last general registration or who for any reason failed to register at that time has been set for Wednesday, March 20, and Thursday, March 21, according to a notice issued by the County Court this morning. All unregistered voters who expect to participate in the city election April 2 must be enrolled on one of these days.

Registration places will open at 8 a. m. and will close at 9 p. m. They are located as follows:

Ward 1—Precinct A at store building at 702 Range Line; Precinct B at Church of Christ, Sixth Street and Hickman Avenue.

Ward 2—Precinct A at Baumgartner's store building at 102 Ripley Street; Precinct B at Courthouse (first floor lobby).

Ward 3—Precinct A, residence at 207 College Avenue; Precinct B, Boone County Lumber Company, 404 East Broadway.

Ward 4—Precinct A, Missouri Store, at 909 Lowry Street; Precinct B, of Hill chapter of Jefferson City.

Other visitors were the deputy marshals of the twenty-sixth and thirty-seventh districts, and two past masters and a patron from Warrensburg.

Three new members were invited into the local chapter. It was decided that supper for members and their families would be served before the next meeting.

**J. L. Lynes' Improved**

J. L. Lynes, who has been ill for some time, was reported this morning to be much improved.

## MORRIS BROTHERS SELL COFFEE SHOP

Mueller's Cafe, Purchasers, to Manage Both Establishments

Mueller's Cafe bought the Virginia Coffee Shop yesterday from Earl and Leonard Morris and will take over the management of it Sunday night.

The purchase included only the fixtures and a ten-year lease which will expire August, 1938.

Both Mueller's Cafe and the Virginia Coffee Shop will be under the management of C. H. Mueller, although Miss Goldie Pember of Oakland, Calif., will arrive here Tuesday to take charge of the coffee shop, and Mrs. C. H. Mueller will have charge of Mueller's Cafe.

Chinese and Italian dishes will be featured on the evening menus at the coffee shop.

**FIRE DESTROYS EMPTY HOUSE**

Clay Schwabe's Property on Third Ave. Burned Last Night

Fire of unknown origin practically destroyed an empty house at 115 Third Avenue last night. It belonged to Clay Schwabe. The loss is covered by insurance.

When the alarm was turned in at 1:45 a. m., the fire was beyond control. According to Tom Walden, fire chief, the fire started under the stairway at the back of the house and burned through.

Yesterday afternoon, the fire department made a run to 1219 Broadway, the home of F. A. Dalton, to put out a fire on the roof.

**FLIGHT**

BAY CITY, Mich., March 8 (U.P.)—Eddie Stinson and his chief test pilot, Randolph C. Page, took off from frozen Saginaw Bay at 10:41 this morning in a Stinson-Detroler in an effort to set a new world's endurance flight record for planes not refueled in flight.

Their plane, the "Sally Sovereign," must stay aloft eighty-five hours. The total weight of the plane, which carried eight hundred gallons of gasoline, was almost nine thousand pounds.

**BORDER SITUATION ALARMS CAPITAL**

Officials Consider Possible Complications at El Paso

WASHINGTON, March 8 (U.P.)—American artillery with gun muzzles pointed toward Mexico, and American army planes flying over columns of Mexican rebel troops advancing on Juarez, opposite El Paso, Tex., stirred official Washington today with apprehensions of possible international complications.

Of immediate importance is the report of rebel sharpshooter bullets humming into Juarez with the accompanying danger to American lives across the border, that danger enhanced by dispatches from El Paso indicating that Gen. Matias Ramos, federal commander, intends to resist rebel occupation of the city.

That the rebel leaders themselves are conscious of the danger of international complications which may result from promiscuous fighting in Juarez was evidenced by Gen. Valle who last night declared that the rebels want to stay in Juarez so that the U. S. troops will intervene.

Movement of U. S. troops under Brig.-Gen. George Van Horn Mosely, commanding the first cavalry division at El Paso—the sending of armored cars to the International bridge, and the appearance of heavy artillery guns trained on Juarez—prompted on railway cars on the Santa Fe Railroad, tracks directly opposite the Mexican city—reported in United Press dispatches sent government officials scurrying into conference here last night.

**LINDY TO FLY TO TEXAS TOMORROW**

With Shoulder Healed, He Will Open Mexican Air Mail Route

MEXICO CITY, March 8 (U.P.)—Despite the excitement of a rebellion, the population of Mexico City was awaiting with regret today the departure of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh on the inaugural flight over the Gulf of Mexico from here to Brownsville, Tex.

Lindbergh will leave the capital at 7:45 a. m. tomorrow to open the route.

His injured shoulder completely healed, the flier will end his visit of two weeks with his fiancée, Miss Anne Morrow, daughter of the American ambassador, to carry mail and several passengers over the new route of the Pan American Airways Lines, of which he is technical adviser.

**F. J. Bohn's Grandson Ill**

F. J. Bohn went to Chillicothe today on account of the illness of his 8-month-old grandson, who has pneumonia. Philip Bohn, the father of the child, was graduated from the School of Journalism of the University in 1924.

**Callaway Woman Dies**

Mrs. Fannie Elly Smith, 72 years old, died this morning about 1 o'clock at her home in Callaway County. Her husband, Taylor Smith, survives her. Burial will be Sunday at 2 o'clock at Oak Chapel, near Stephens.

**Mrs. J. L. McGavock Visited by Sister**

Dr. Florence Miller of Hereford, Tex., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. McGavock, in Columbia since last Tuesday. She left yesterday for Mexico, Mo.

**Widely Traveled Letter Is Here**

A letter which has been half-way around the world and which bears the address of no known place is being held at the Columbia Hotel for a claimant.

The letter was sent from Jerusalem two months ago, as indicated by the post mark, and is addressed to Yedidia Yabrieloff, P. O. B. 303, Brazil, Columbia. It bears evidence of having visited many places in search of its owner.

## APPEALS FOR APPRECIATION OF EVERY ART

Dr. Kinkeldey, N. Y., Speaks at Convocation Today

NINETEEN ALUMNI HERE

M. U. Students' Recital, Exhibit, Also on Day's Program

"Each person should attempt at some time in his life to place his finger on the pulse of art," Dr. O. T. Kinkeldey, chief of the music division of the New York Public Library, declared in an address delivered at the convocation of the Fine Arts Day held in the University Auditorium at 10 o'clock.

Following the introduction by Dean James T. Quarles, of the School of Fine Arts, Dr. Kinkeldey announced that he had chosen for his subject "Arts and the Man." Throughout his entire address Dr. Kinkeldey made a plea for connection of modern life with art.

"There is a form of art that every person can indulge in, whether it be simply decorating one's home with beautiful pictures or singing in a church choir," he said.

The opening sentences of the address were devoted to a discussion of the aesthetic sensation that can result through a continued love of artistic things. Then speaking briefly of Kant and the famous philosopher, Dr. Kinkeldey turned his discussion to modern art, linking art with daily proceedings.

**Art Can Thrive Anywhere**

"My talk this morning will be practical, rather than philosophical," he stated. Dr. Kinkeldey showed that art can develop under humble circumstances. Members of Bach's family were mere tradesmen. Peter de Hooch, one of the outstanding of the Dutch "Little Masters" was a butler who painted during his spare hours. "It is possible for art to develop in a stable," Dr. Kinkeldey said.

The speaker appealed for appreciation of art. There is a need for mediocrity in art, he contended. Americans are proud to look up at the celebrated man instead of the mediocre man.

"The little man who keeps art alive during all ages," Dr. Kinkeldey said.

Jazz music was not denounced by the speaker. However, he believes it necessary to look beyond jazz if a person is ever to realize aesthetic pleasure.

Participation was the final injunction of the speaker. "One singer in a choir of 800 is doing more towards elevating art than an entire audience that passively listens," were his concluding remarks.

**Women's Glee Club on Program**

Following Dr. Kinkeldey's address, the Women's Glee Club sang three songs: "The Song of India," "The Three Cavaliers," and an old Russian folksong. The University Band and the Men's Glee Club also appeared on the program.

A luncheon was given in the private dining room at the Tiger Hotel at 12:30 o'clock by the four sororities and fraternities of the Fine Arts School. Dean James T. Quarles was toastmaster and Dr. Otto Kinkeldey, the guest of honor, was the principal speaker. About 150 people were present.

The sororities and fraternities of the Fine Arts School were: Alpha Phi Delta, honorary art fraternity; the Sketch Club; Phi Mu Alpha, girls musical sorority; and Mu Phi Epsilon, a musical fraternity.

**Students Give Recital This Afternoon**

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a students' recital was given in the University Auditorium of Jesse Hall. The program consisted of violin solos, piano solos, and songs. The following were on the program: Elizabeth South, Lee Hillis, Eleanor Hereford, Jaunita Henderson, Beale Kyle, Evelyn Ransom, Katherine Urban, Dorothy O'Bannon, Leavell Riddick, Helen Hawkins, and Theodore Russell.

An all-day art exhibit of work done by the students, consisting of paintings, drawings, applied art, and architecture was held in Room 123, Jesse Hall. In the Missouri State Teachers' Association Building on South Sixth Street a loan exhibit of etchings and lithographs, done by well-known Western artists was on display.

**Alumni of Fine Arts School Are Back**

The alumni of the school present in Columbia for participation in the celebration were: Howard Joyner, East Lansing, Mich.; Lawrence Mitchell, Fulton, Mo.; Sister Natalie Brasser, Kansas City; A. Tillman Brasser, Paris, France; Miss Elizabeth Daniel, Mexico, Mo.; A. D. Otto, Wichita, Kan.; Misses Marion Reid and Rachel Way, both from Columbia; O. Miss Hortense Blegkall, High Point, N. C.; and Misses Gladys Whelan, Nancy, France; and Miss Hazel Lashley Weber, James W. Schwabe, and James Neville Todd, all of Columbia.

At 9 o'clock this evening the participants in Fine Arts Day will complete the program with a Beaux Arts Ball at the Tiger Hotel. It will be a costume affair and several hundred people are expected.

**Grass Fire Does \$20 Damage**

A grass fire on Hickman Avenue west of Third Street set fire to a coal shed at 12:55 o'clock this afternoon. The damages amounted to about \$20, according to Tom Walden, fire chief.

**E. D. Lee to Muskogee**